

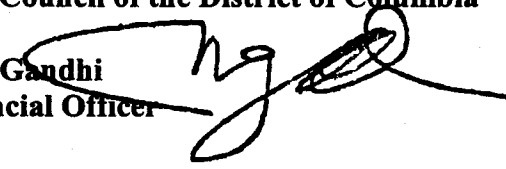
**Government of the District of Columbia
Office of the Chief Financial Officer**



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Chief Financial Officer

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Vincent C. Gray
Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia

FROM: Natwar M. Gandhi 
Chief Financial Officer

DATE: JUL 10 2007

SUBJECT: Fiscal Impact Statement: "Energy Efficiency Standards Act of 2007"

REFERENCE: Bill Number 17-211 as Introduced

Conclusion

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2007 budget and the proposed FY 2008 through FY 2011 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed legislation.

Background

The proposed legislation would establish minimum energy efficiency standards for certain products sold and installed in the District of Columbia.¹ The proposed legislation would require that all identified products sold in the District on or after January 1, 2009 or installed in the District on or after January 1, 2010 meet or exceed energy efficiency requirements set forth in the proposed legislation. To comply with the proposed legislation, manufacturers would be required to certify that their products met the energy efficiency standards in the legislation, which are the same as those adopted in the states of California or Maryland.

Financial Plan Impact

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2008 through FY 2011 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed legislation. The OCFO finds that implementation and monitoring of the proposed

¹ Products covered by the proposed Act include bottle-type water dispensers, commercial hot food holding cabinets, metal halide lamp fixtures, single-voltage external AC to DC power supplies, state-regulated incandescent reflector lamps, walk-in refrigerators and freezers, and other products designated by the Mayor.

energy standards would be covered by the existing District monitoring and compliance resources of the executive branch agencies.